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Responsive to the Notification of Defective Response dated March 5, 2007, enclosed for filing in this application is an executed Inventor's Declaration which identifies the inventor as being a United States citizen. A copy of the Notification of Defective Response is also enclosed.

Applicant does not believe that payment of a fee is required in filing this response.

However, in the event that a fee is due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any such fees to Deposit Account 50-2225.

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- Priority Documents filed on 02/24/2006
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- Claims filed on 02/24/2006
- Abstracts filed on 02/24/2006
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Applicant's response filed 12/11/2006 is nereby acknowledged. The following requirements set forth in the NOTIFICATION of MISSING REQUIREMENTS mailed 11/01/2006 have not been completed.

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - does not identify the citizenship of each inventor.

Applicant is required to complete the response within a time limit of ONE MONTH from the date of this Notification or within the time remaining in the response set forth in the Notification of Missing Requirements, whichever is the longer. No extension of this time limit may be granted under 37 CFR 1.136, but the period for response set in the Notification of Missing Requirements may be extended under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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